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Bloodmobile Visited Here Friday

Our last visit of the fiscal year of the Red Cross Bloodmobile was not quite up to par last Friday but we did do very well in collecting 76 units of blood.

A total of 84 donors came but 8 were deferred. I know it was a busy time for everyone and a very special thanks to those who took time to give blood so that someone might have life.

We had five first time donors at this visit. They were Debbie D. Francis, David Caldwell, Barbara Watson, Dwayne Scruggs and J. P. Perterm, Jr. One gallons pins went to Marvin Francis, Ruby Williamson Stanley, Polly Eliazabeth Carter, and Bobby Kaye Waddell. Two gallon pins went to Alice C. Martin and Michael K. Hancock; a four gallon pin went to Johnny B. Gallier and a five gallon pin went to James A. Beaty, Jr. and William E. Mann.

Thanks again to all our faithful workers.

Alice C. Martin, Chairman
Blood Services Program

A.P.S. Perfect Attendance

With another school year behind us, we like to recognize those students who had perfect attendance, for a total of 180 days at school. This year we can congratulate 32 students. Thank you, and keep up the good work.

Annual Southern States Meeting July 19th

The local Southern States Cooperative annual membership meeting for the Appomattox area will be held July 19, 1979.

This decision was made by local farmer-members at a recent annual meeting conference held by Coleman and Sons, Inc.

Among the features of this year's session will be reports on operations of both Southern States Cooperative and the local agency for the fiscal year ended June 30. The Southern States report will also emphasize the importance of cooperatives as a partner in the Family Farm Operation.

In addition there will be elections, or reports on elections and other business matters.

Attending the planning session were Dan and Ronald Coleman, manager of Coleman and Sons, Inc. and S. Maxey Slater, a member of Southern States Cooperative's regional headquarters staff at Richmond.

Also at the session were the following members of the local board and Farm Home Advisory Committee: B. J. Lucado, John P. Alvis, Calvin Harris, Mrs. E. E. Martin, Mrs. Fredrick L. Thomas, Mrs. Carter Martin, and Mrs. Cliff Plunkett.

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Receives Degree

Charle L. Fraley, III received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology from Randolph-Macon College in Ashland in Commencement Ceremonies held at the college at 11 a.m. on Sunday, June 3, 1979.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fraley, Jr. of Appomattox.

CHESTNUT MOUNTAIN HUNT CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY

The Chestnut Mountain Hunt Club will meet on Saturday, June 16, 1979, at 8 p.m. at the Stonewall Precinct voting building.

All members are urged to be present.

The 100,000-dollar bill, the largest denomination in American currency, is not circulated publicly.

The Bible and Daily Living

By Dr. William L. Trimyer

PARENTAL DISCIPLINE AND EXAMPLE

Lesson for June 17, 1979

Background Scripture: II Samuel 13:23-15:12; 18; I Kings 1:5-6

Focal Passage: II Samuel 14:21-28; I Kings 1:5-6

Parental Example

Being a parent to children is no easy task. The requirements for being a good parent are too numerous to list. The truth of the matter is that we are all products of our heritage and home. Sometimes a child is like a mirror in that he or she is merely a reflection of their parents, and this reflection can be either positive or negative or a combination of both.

The story of David and his family is marred with one tragedy after another. In a sense his family history sent him to the grave in grief. In the third chapter of II Samuel we read where David had numerous wives and children. In David's time polygamy was an accepted practice and was not necessarily prohibited in the old testament.

David's sexual conduct certainly could not have been a healthy example for his children. In chapter eleven of II Samuel we read about David's affair with Bathsheba. This affair ultimately led to a premeditated plot to murder Bathsheba's husband in order for David to cover up his sinful tracts. Of course, we know that in the end his sin was exposed to the light!

The other day I was walking through my garden. My five year old son was with me. I cautioned him not to step on the tender plants. He responded and said, "I won't, Daddy. I'm following in your footprints." His response was a very sobering one for me to hear as a parent!

Parental Sorrow

Every parent knows sorrow from time to time as they watch their children grow and mature into adults. Every parent knows sorrow that comes from watching their children make decisions which are wrong for them. But in order for a child to mature he or she must be allowed to make decisions and live with the consequences. Its a two-way street; children hurt their parents and parents hurt their children.

David's sons (Annon, Absalom, and Adonijah) brought great sorrow to him. Amnon raped his half-sister through an elaborate scheme in which he even involved David. Absolom took matters into his own hands and set up an elaboratge scheme to murder Amnon. Again, David was lured into this scheme without knowing. Adonijah later attempted to revolt and to set himself up as king.

The picture is of a father who has lost all control and authority over his children. There seems to have been a lack of parental discipline on the part of David. His refusal to discipline his children may offer the explanation for their tragic lifestyles. Could it be that David's memory of his past sins involving Bathsheba and Uriah her husband prevented him from setting limits?

Parental Indecision

We parents don't always make the right decisions when it comes to our children. We must admit that we do sometimes make wrong decisions when dealing with our offspring. A worse tragedy, however, is to refuse to make any decisions regrding our children. A child can live with wrong decisions provided his parent can admit they were wrong. A child may not, however, live very well with indecision on the part of his or her parents. Children actually need and want limits. They want the secure feeling that comes from knowing that mom and dad will set limits that will protect them from themselves. They may not verbalize such a notion, but its there in their minds.

David's indecision concerning his sons resulted in misery for him throughout his life and their's. David became so torn by Absalom's killing his brother that David refused to see or talk to him. The rift between David and his sons grew wilder and wider. The end result was that Adoinjah turned against David and sought to set himself up as king. Thus the prophecy of Nathan came true: "Thus says the Lord, Behold, I will raise up evil out of your house."

Parental indecision in dealing with children only scatters seeds of future sorrow.

(Dr. Trimyer is pastor of Elon Baptist Church in Pamplin, Va.)

BIBLE SCHOOL PLANNED AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church will have Bible School June 18-22 from 9 a.m. until 11:45 a.m.

There will be classes for pre-school through junior high age groups. The program will include Bible study, crafts, games and refreshments.

Eeryone is welcome.

County Extension Homemakers Calendar

June 18 - 22 - 4-H State Club Congress - VPI&SU

June 18 - County Line - 7:30 p.m.

June 19 - Appomattox E. H. - 10:00 a.m. - Presbyterian Church

June 19 - Country Lane E. H. - 7:30 p.m.

June 20 - Henny Penny - 7:00 .m.

June 21 - Spout Spring Progressive - 7:00 p.m.

June 23 - 24 - "A Stitch in Time Festival" - ACHS Cafeteria

June 27 - Wreck Island E. H. - 1:30 p.m.

June 28 - Pamplin E. H. - 7:30 p.m.

Dates for Sewing Classes (10:00 - 3:00 p.m.) June 19, 26 Appomattox Middle School. June 21, 28 - Pamplin Elementary School.

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ASK ABOUT OUR ALL-SKATE CLUB

Elon Celebrates International Year of the Child

Pictured above are some of the numerous children who participated in Sunday School and worship last Sunday at Elon Baptist Church, Pamplin. Some of the church's youth also participated in the morning worship services. Elon is sponsoring a VBS Parade for children this coming Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Following the parade there will be a party in downtown Pamplin with rides, homemade ice cream, sno-cones and prizes.

The Zion Baptist Senior Usher Board 23rd Anniversary

Mistress of Ceremony, Mrs. Dorothy Ligon; Opening Song; Scripture, Mrs. Wilsie Jones; Prayer, Mr. Waverly Gray; Song: History, Ms. Barbra Hunter; Roll Call of Visiting Ushers, Mrs. Nannie Johnson; Memorial Service, Mrs. Susie Hunter and Ushers; Solo, Mrs. Etta Edwards; Reading, Mrs. Hunter and Ushers; Susie, I walk through the shadow of unkindness, I must smile, for the beauty of the Lord is upon me, Ushers, I had rather be a doorkeeper in the House of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. Susie, I shall strive to give joy to the sorrowful, hope to the lost and sunshine to the darkness, Ushers, I pledge by the help of God to do my best, to serve my church with a pure heart and clean hands.

Prayer, Mrs. Mattie Lawson; Introduction of Speaker, Mrs. Etta Edwards; Song; Sermon, Rev. James Franklin, Jr.; Solo, Rev. James Franklin, Jr.; Collection, Mrs. Susie Hunter and Mrs. Nannie Johnson; Speaker's Plate, Ms. Barbra Hunter; Remarks, Mrs. Mattie Lawson; Announcements; Closing Song; Benediction, Rev. James Franklin, Jr.

Chairman, Mrs. Dorothy Ligon; Co-chairmen, Mrs. Susie Hunter, Ms. Barbra Hunter.

Officers: President, Mrs. Mattie Lawson; Vice President, Ms. Barbra Hunter; Secretary, Mrs. Nannie Johnson; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Wilsie Jones; Treasurer, Mrs. Estelle Hamlett; Sick Treasurer, Mrs. Annie Mae Durphy; Chaplin, Mrs. Magnolia Franklin; News Reporter, Mrs. Susie Hunter; Sick Reporter, Mrs. Dorothy Ligon.

Members: Mrs Barbra Ratcliff, Mrs. Alma Robinson, Mrs. Etta Edwards, Bro. Waverly Gray, Bro. Ronald Franklin.

Outstanding FHA Chapter

The Appomattox Senior chapter of the Virginia Association, Future Homemakers of America, received the Outstanding Chapters Award for the school year 1978-79. The State award was presented at the Annual Awards Day program at Appomattox County High School on Friday, June 1, 1979.

The Appomattox FHA chapter received this award for accomplishments this year in working in the areas of personal development, strengthening home and family living, community involvement, and jobs and careers.

Miss Cheryl Elliott, chapter president, representing the 140 members of the Senior FHA chapter, received the award. Mrs. Betty Jo Smith is chapter adviser and home economics teacher.

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June 11, Mrs. Clyde Moore spent last week with Mr. H. O. Martin and Mr. Emory Martin.

Mrs. Gibbs Martin is in Virginia Baptist Hospital undergoing treatment.

Mrs. Geraldine Moore had the misfortune to break her ankle while in Nashville, Tennessee recently.

Mrs. Sandra Kay Hillsman came home yesterday after spending several days undergoing treatment in Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Ronnie Morris is home for the summer from Atlanta, Georgia where he attends Emory University. He attended the graduation exercises at VPI&SU Saturday. He spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting Miss Peggy Watkins and family in Vienna. He plans to attend the opening session of the Virginia Annual Conference of the United Methodist in Roanoke today.

Congratulations to the graduates of Appomattox County High School on June 9th. Michelle Tweedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charle Tweedy and Barbara Wenning daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wenning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wenning purchased what is known as Beckham and plan to move here in the near future. We welcome them to our community.

Congratulations to Carolyn Jo Morris, daughter of Mr. and Ms. Robert Morris, who graduated with a B. A. degree from Lynchburg College May 12.

E. W. Martin of Amherst spent the week end with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin.

Melanie Morris visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tuck and Rob and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meador Sunday.

The following visited Josephine Morris, who is recovering frm surgery, during the week: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore, Mrs. David Martin, Pam Doss, Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Drinkard, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, Mrs. Lula Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmutz, Jennifer, Traci and Edward, Mrs. Evelyn Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. David Armistead, Jerry may, Mrs. Thelma Mathews, Mrs. Sallie Martin, Jackie Cobbs, Donald Lee Drinkard, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin, Mrs. Kermit Drinkill, Mrs. Eric Martin, Don Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Drinkard, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tuck, Gertrude Burge, Gibbs Martin, Russell Martin, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin, E. W. Martin, Mrs. Helen Bussey, Mrs. Alise Drinkard, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morris and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Martin, Mrs. Howlet Drinkard and Miss Eunice Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Moore and girls and Mrs. H. C. Moore were Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schmutz.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Martin of Richmond are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Drinkard and Mrs. S. G. Martin visited Mr. Charles Martin in Lynchburg General Hospital Sunday.

State FHA Degree Recipients

Susan Parris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Parris and Cheryl Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd G. Walton, both of Appomattox, Virginia, were recipients of the State Homemaker Degree which is the top award given to individual members by the Virginia Association, Future Homemakers of America, at the Annual High School Awards Day held at Appomattox County High School, on Friday, June 1, 1979.

In the awarding of this degree, Cheryl and Susan were recognized for their outstanding contributions to their home and family. to their local, county, and State FHA organization, and their school and community. They have exemplified a keen interest in the welfare of their families and the improving of home and family living.

Susan and Cheryl carried out the main goal of the Future Homemakers of America, which is "To help youth assume their roles in society through home economics education in areas of personal growth, family life, vocational preparation, and community involvement."

Mrs. Betty Jo Smith is chapter adviser for the Appomattox Senior Chapter, Future Homemakers of America.

James Frederick Mitchell

ACHS Senior Receives Award

James Frederick Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Mitchell of Appomattox, is the recipient of the Mary Grey Holland Scholarship, presented by the National Honor Society. This $150.00 award is presented annually to an outstanding senior exhibiting academic ability, leadership, and service to the school. Freddy also received the American Legion Good Citizen Award for outstanding qualities of character and leadership. This honor is given by the American Legion Auxiliary Post 104 to the most outstanding senior selected by the faculty. Freddy will attend the University of Virginia.

Methodist Youth To Have Car Wash Yard Sale

The Youth Fellowship of the Memorial United Methodist Church will have a yard sale and a car wash at the church on Saturday, June 16 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

All proceeds from the sale and car wash will go toward the youth group's expenses to go to Lake Junaluska, North Carolina in late July. There they will spend the week at the United Methodist Assembly Center to participate in a special week of youth in missions. Young people from 14 Southeastern states take part in this week-long meeting.

In case of rain, the sale and car wash will be the following Saturday.

Former Drug Pusher, Gand Gang Warlord Testifies for Christ

Victor Torres, internationally acclaimed evangelist and youth leader will appear at Farmville Assembly of God on Sunday, June 17 at 10:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Torres' life, depicted in his autobiography Son of Evil Street, was junkie for several years, drug pusher, and warlord in one of Brooklyn's toughest ghetto street gangs. His tale is one of a young Puerto Rican fighting his way from the bloody gutters to meet Jesus Christ.

Victor's story is one that every family must hear, not only as a warning against drugs, but as hope and dynamic evidence of the power of Christ.

Today, Victor is a minister of the Gospel, and Executive Director and Founder of the organization New Life for Youth. Operating a Men's Home and a Farm, his ministry is founded on changing desperate lives burdened with drugs, alcohol and related problems through the saving power of Jesus Christ. Through extensive travel and television appearances this moving story of a modern day miracle has reached thousands throughout the world.

Farmville Assembly of God is located on Road 712 just off Route 45, two miles north of downtown Farmville.

Commencement Exercises Held at Cole's Day Care Center

Commencement exercises were held June 7, 1979 for the children in Miss Elder's class at Cole's Child Day Care Center in Appomattox.

The welcome was given by Mrs. Ruth Cole and the students sang the "ABC Song", "The Farmer in the Dell", and "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star". Nursery Rhymes were recited by Ashley Burke, Thomas Kent Jamerson, Abby Tolley, Adam Booker, Britt Herncall, Dana Doss, David Irby, Caroline Spencer, Pam Hamlin, Suzanne O'Brien and Jennifer Tweedy.

Mrs. Ruth Cole presented the diplomas

McFadden-Carter Reunion Held

The family of Mrs. Emma Carter McFadden held a reunion Sunday, June 10th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ayers. A bountiful picnic dinner was served at 1 o'clock on the lawn.

Those present were: Mrs. Emma McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. Ayres and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Martin and family, Mrs. Pearl Ayers and family all of Appomattox. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McFadden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McFadden and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McFadden and daughter all of Spout Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar DeGrange and family of Falls Church, Virginia, Mrs. Ruth Waldecker and family of Hysattsville, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Ray McFadden and family of Woodridge, Virginia.

Also Mr. and Mrs. John S. Martin of North Carolina. Mrs. Grace Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Daye, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Ayers, Mr. Willie Bryant, and Mr. and Mrs Clarence Guthrie, the family of Elijah McFadden.

There were approximately 106 present. The group decided to make this an annual affair being held each year in June.

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